



August 25, 2005

BP Consulting, LLC
Attn: Ian Emery and Fred Moore
1863 Cutler Rd.
Cutler, ME 04626

Dear Mr. Emery and Mr. Moore,

On behalf of the City of Calais, please consider this letter as a statement of intent of the City of Calais to endeavor to work in good faith and in connection with BP Consulting, LLC, in its efforts to negotiate a proposal for the construction of a LNG terminal in Calais. Please rest assured that such development is welcome in the City of Calais and will receive the full support of the Calais City Council.

It is the opinion of the Calais City Council that the development of a LNG terminal is a promising economic opportunity for both Calais and Washington County and we support BP Consulting, LLC, in its efforts to stimulate economic development in our area. The City of Calais looks forward to this opportunity to work with BP Consulting, LLC, and will provide assistance and support whenever possible in furtherance of this mutual goal.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Vinton E. Cassidy", is written over a horizontal line.

Vinton E. Cassidy
Mayor, City of Calais